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TO AMEMBASSY DAKAR

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, SG

SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: REFINERY-PORT PHOSPHATE

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REF: DAKAR 3759

1. IN ANSWER PARA 2 REFTTEL, EMBASSY MAY WISH REFER TO DAKAR 1098, STATE 35379, DAKAR 733, STATE 21028 CONCERNING SOROS AND GANNETT FLEMING EFFORTS OBTAIN THIS CONTRACT. SOROS IS ONE OF THE LEADING U.S. ENGINEERING FIRMS IN THE FIELD OF BULK HANDLING PORT FACILITIES BOTH OFF AND ON SHORE. SOROS RANKED 169 IN LATEST ENGINEERING NEWS RECORD (ENR 500) LISTING DESIGN FIRMS. SOROS CURRENTLY NEGOTIATING CONTRACT SANTA CLARA ORE PORT IN GABON. AMONG OTHERS, FIRM HAS PERFORMED STUDIES IN CAMEROON, IVORY COAST, SOUTH AFRICA, AND GUINEA AS WELL AS IRAN. GANNETT, FLEMING RANKED 32 ENR 500 AND PERFORMS VARIED TYPES OF TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER ENGINEERING.

2. FYI ACCORDING SOROS, PRELIMINARY MASTER PLAN AND THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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DETAILED DESIGN ENGINEERING WOULD PROBABLY REQUIRE MORE

THAN A YEAR TO COMPLETE, AFTER WHICH CONSTRUCTION COULD  
BEGIN.

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